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Title: **Generalized Reference Decoder for Image or Video Processing**

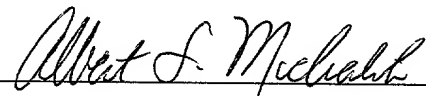
1. An application consisting of 35 pages of cover sheet, specification, claims and abstract
2. Five (5) sheets of formal drawings are attached.
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